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Record of the Town of Seabrook,

For the Year ending March 1st, 1883.

Officers Elected at the Annual Meeting:

Moderator,
JOHN M. WEARE.

Town Clerk,
JAMES M. S. TUCKER.

Selectmen,
DAVID F. BOYD,
WILLIAM H. WALTON,
JEREMIAH B. GREENE.

Treasurer,
FRANK H. GREENE.

School Committee,
D. W. COLCORD.

Auditors,
ROBERT COLLINS,
WILLIAM A. RAND.

Collector,
STEPHEN G. JOHNSON.

November Election:

Moderator,
JEREMIAH CHASE.

Representative,
JOHN W. LOCKE.

Supervisors,
JOHN WEARE,
FRANCIS BECKMAN,
REESE OWEN.

Amount Committed for Collection, $5743 07.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Total valuation of the Town, April 1, 1882,
including polls, $283,386
State, County, Town and School tax, $1.90 per 100.
Highway tax, .11 per 100.
No. of scholars in each District : No. 1, 10
No. 2, 61
No. 3, 64
No. 4, 85
No. 5, 129
No. 6, 58

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Frank H. Greene, Treasurer, in account with the town of Seabrook, for the year ending March 1, 1883.

DR.

To balance on hand March 1, 1882	$1337 14
From State Treasurer for Savings Bank tax	101 85
" " " for Railroads	119 98
" " " , for Literary Fund	152 72
" County Treasurer, support of paupers	1137 76
" James W. Dow income of Dow marsh 1882	8 00
" Albert Gove, income Common Island for 1881,	2 00
" " " " " for 1882,	5 75
" Rent of Town Hall,	1 50
" Crow Bill,	200 90
" Clarence F. Brown,	250 00
" S. G. Johnson, Highway Tax, 1881,	12 53

"	Robert Collins, Collector,	1876,	12 57
"	" "	1877,	22 92
"	" "	1878,	39 48
"	S. G. Johnson, "	1881,	307 31
"	" "	1882,	5223 00
			8935 41

He credits himself with the following payments, per order of the Selectmen:

Cr.

	State Tax	$636 00
	County Tax	801 81
A.	Support of School	1438 00
B.	Highway Tax	279 91
C.	Roads and Bridges	57 49
D.	Abatements	55 58
E.	Services Town Officers	570 10
F.	Support of Town Paupers	391 62
G.	Support of County Paupers	1153 38
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		$7122 68

A. Support of Schools.

Paid	Albert J. Sanborn	District No. 1	$110 00
	Charles A. Barton	" 2	204 00
	John P. Dow	" 3	214 00
	Robert Collins	" 4	284 00
	Emery N. Eaton	" 5	432 00
	Eben F. Smith	" 6	194 00
			$1438 00

B. Highway Tax.

Paid William H. Gove	District No.	1	23 79
Joseph Chase	"	2	12 10
John B. Locke	"	3	50 55
George A. Weare	"	4	34 45
George Rowe	"	5	30 77
John P. Dow	"	6	21 66
John Lewis Brown	"	7	21 49
William H. Walton	"	8	33 05
Lucian Foot	"	9	52 05
			$279 91

C. Roads and Bridges.

Paid John B. Locke, breaking roads in Dist. No. 2	1 40
Bryant Eaton " " " 9	4 32
A. J. Sanborn, railing bridge in Dist. No. 1	2 00
William H. Gove " " 1	2 00
William H. Walton and Washington Eaton for work and lumber in District No. 8	33 69
Charles Dow, lumber " " 9	4 00
George A Weare " " 4	1 20
" " " 6	8 88
	57 49

D. Abatements of Taxes.

To Robert Collins, for 1876.

Paid Nancy Eaton balance	92
George E. Felch poll	2 25
Thomas Felch tax	3 15
John F. Fowler balance	1 25

Abatements for 1877.

George E. Felch poll	1 80
John F. Fowler poll	1 80
William H. Pierce poll	1 80
Thomas Felch tax	2 52

Abatements for 1878.

George E. Felch poll	1 70
John F. Fowler poll	1 70
William H. Pierce poll	1 70
Thomas Felch balance	38
John F. Fowler dog	1 00

To S. G. Johnson, Collector, 1881.

Paid William H. Pierce poll	1 80
Horace D. Moreland	3 42
Sewell B. Fowler	2 09

To S. G. Johnson, Collector, 1882.

Paid John Colby Eaton poll	2 01
Newell Dow poll	2 01
George E. Felch poll	2 01
John F. Fowler poll	2 01
William H. Pierce poll	2 01
Wyman Eaton Jr. ill	2 01
Heir Joshua Gove one half of homestead	1 38
William R. Gyles	5 03
Horace D. Morelcnd	3 82
Horace Follansbee dog tax	1 00
Peleg Small dog tax	1 00
Alvin Janvrin ill	2 01
	$55 58

Services Town Officers.

Paid David F. Boyd for one day filling blanks			$2 00
"	"	" distributing "	2 00
"	"	8 days appraising and assessing	16 00
"	"	Copying inventory	3 00
"	"	Making return of births and deaths	2 00
"	"	Militia roll	1 50
"	"	Invoice to send to Concord	2 00
"	"	Making return of R. R. stock	1 00
"	"	Return of scholars	50
"	"	Appointing Collectors, Police, Surveyors, School Committee and other officers	2 00
"	"	2 journeys to Exeter to see County Commissioners	4 00
"	"	Copying inventory in Dist. No. 5	1 50
"	"	" 6	1 00
"	"	Making assessments " 5	1 00
"	"	" 6	1 00
"	"	Meeting about highway tax of 1881	1 50
"	"	Making two crow bills	3 50
"	"	" invoice for county commissioners	1 50
"	"	Perambulating state line	2 00
"	"	Dividing school money	1 00
"	"	Making and posting warrants for two town meetings	2 50
"	"	One day with county commissioners	2 00
"	"	Attending Jury Meeting	1 00
"	"	Revising jury box	75
"	"	Making county pauper bill	2 00
"	"	Issuing orders and keeping town accounts	12 00
	"	10 journeys to W. H. Walton's and South Seabook	5 00
"	"	Making and recording tax for the town	24 00
"	"	" for Dist. No. 5	8 00
"	"	" 6	6 00

"	"	Settling accounts	7 00
"	"	Stationery and postage	2 50
"	"	Time spent in G. Rowe and J. F. Fowler's case,	1 50
Paid William H. Walton filling blanks			2 00
"	"	Distributing the same	2 00
"	"	8 days appraising and assessing	16 00
"	"	Perambulating state line	2 00
"	"	Meeting about highway tax for 1881	1 50
"	"	Revising jury box	75
"	"	Attending jury meeting	1 00
"	"	Assessing tax in Dist. No. 5	1 00
"	"	" 6	1 00
"	"	Settling accounts	6 00
"	"	12 journeys to D. F. Boyd's	6 00
"	"	Time spent with the poor	7 00
Paid Jeremiah B. Greene 1 day filling blanks			2 00
"	"	distributing blanks	2 00
"	"	7 days appraising and assessing	14 00
"	"	5 journeys to South Seabrook	2 50
"	"	1 day with commissioners	2 00
"	"	Attending jury meetings	1 00
"	"	Assessing tax in school Dist. No. 5	1 00
"	"	" 6	1 00
"	"	Journey to Exeter to settle county pauper bill	2 00
"	"	Meeting about highway tax for 1881	1 50
"	"	Perambulating state line	2 00
"	"	Revising jury box	75
"	"	Journey to Exeter for advice for school district No. 5	2 00
"	"	Settling accounts	6 00
Paid Albert J. Sanborn supervisor at Mar. election			6 00
"	"	" Nov.	10 00
"	Charles S. Dow	" Mar.	6 00
"	"	" Nov.	10 00
"	Nicholas Gynan	" Mar.	6 00
"	"	" Nov.	10 00
"	Dr. D. W. Colcord as school committee		23 00

"	Jeremiah Chase Moderator 2 days Nov. election	7 00
"	James M. S. Tucker as town clerk	25 00
"	" Record and return of 29 marriages	4 35
"	" Return of 40 births	10 00
"	" Return of 23 deaths	5 75
"	" Stationery and postage	2 00
"	S. G. Johnson collecting town tax	150 00
"	" Highway tax for '81 and '82	10 00
"	" Collecting tax in Dis. No. 6	26 00
"	Frank H. Greene as Treasurer	35 00
"	" Copying inventory and finding book for County Commissioners	4 50
"	" Stationery and postage	1 75
"	" To Portsmouth to pay county tax	2 00
"	" " with copy of reports	1 00
"	" " express on reports	50
"	Robert Collins and William A. Rand for auditing accounts	4 00
		$570 10

F. Town Paupers.

Paid	Nancy Brown for wood	$11 25
"	Dr. D. W. Colcord for medical attendance on Nancy Brown	4 00
"	Mary E. Rowe for supplies one year ending March 1, '83	104 00
"	Mary A. A. Eaton for supplies one year ending March 1, '83	104 00
"	Abbie J. Eaton for supplies one year ending March 1, '83	104 00
"	George E. Felch's family for supplies from Nov. 16, '82 to Mar. 1, '83, 15 weeks	30 00
	Wood to George E. Felch's family	6 00

" George P. Fowler for supplies	2 62
" " wood	4 50
	$391 62

G. County Paupers.

Paid Sally Dow for supplies from March 1st to Nov. 14th, 37 weeks	$37 00
Dr. D. W. Colcord medical attendance on Sally Dow	3 00
Heirs Benj. S. Blake coffin for Sally Dow	10 00
John Colby Eaton digging grave for Sally Dow	2 00
Eben Fowler wood to Sally Dow	1 50
Martha Eaton for support of Frank Eaton one year ending March 1st 1883	52 00
Dr. D. W. Colcord medical attendance on Frank Eaton	2 00
Edward D. Eaton for supplies from March 1st to Dec. 8th	40 50
Mary E. Beckman supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	52 00
Elizabeth Fowler for supplied 1 year ending March 1st 1883	52 00
Elizabeth Fowler for wood	4 50
C. A. Brown for supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	104 00
C. A. Brown for wood	13 50
Nancy Souther for supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	52 00
Nancy Souther for wood and coal	11 75
Betsy Souther supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	59 50
Betsy Souther for wood	28 00

Valentine Bagley for supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	78 00
Ruth Foster for supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	52 00
Ruth Foster for wood	3 00
Gertrude Dow for supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	33 45
Ann R. Eaton for supplies 1 year	52 00
" wood	6 75
Sally A. Sargent for supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	130 00
Sally A. Sargent for wood	4 50
Dr. D. W. Colcord medical attendance on child	4 50
Jeremiah F. Boyd's children supplies 1 year ending March 1st 1883	83 00
John Bragg for supplies from March 1st to July 9th 1882	28 00
Mary E. Fogg clothing for John Bragg	1 43
Dr. D. W. Colcord medical attendance on John Bragg	3 00
John L. Bragg and wife for services in John Bragg's last sickness	7 00
Charles C. Gove for coffin, robe and box for John Bragg	16 00
Sewell B. Cilley digging grave for John Bragg	2 00
James L. Cilley driving hearse for John Bragg	1 00
Emery Brown services on John Bragg	2 00
Dr. D. W. Colcord medical attendance on Henry M. Hardy's family	10 00
Gamaliel Rowe for supplies from July 24th 1882 to March 1st 1883	64 00
Gamaliel Rowe for wood	9 50
Dr. D. W. Colcord medical attendance on Gamaliel Rowe	15 00

John F. Fowler's family from Dec 11th 1882 to Jan 28th 1883	17 50
John S. Fowler's family for wood	4 50
	1153 38

H. Miscellaneous Expenses.

Paid	L. W. Brewster printing town reports for '82	$27 00
"	Thompson & Batchelder Collector's books, Surveyor's books, blanks and stationery	4 33
"	Marston & Eastman advice on school dist. No. 5, and road petition	2 00
"	W. P. Jones for police badge and handcuff key	2 50
"	L. W. Brewster printing 200 orders	1 75
"	Dr. D. W. Colcord return of 22 births and 15 deaths	9 25
"	Hiram Gove work moving the safe	60
"	John E. Chase " "	50
"	Stephen F. Knowles "	50
"	A. F. Ross for the safe	140 00
"	J. B. Greene buying and moving the safe	1 00
"	George A. Weare heating town hall	1 50
"	Jeremiah Chase making affidavit for G. Rowe	1 00
"	" " " J. F. Fowler	1 00
"	Francis Beckman taking care of tramps	10 00
"	Lydia Parker " " "	5 00
"	William H. Walton and others fixing state line bounds	4 50
"	John P. Dow wood for lock-up	2 00
"	Bounty on 2066 crows	206 60
"	Eben Fowler for carrying E. D. Eaton to Brentwood	3 00
		$424 03

I. Notes and Interest.

Elihu Dow	interest on his note	$20 79
Jonathan Walton	" "	16 34
John Chase	" "	28 00
"	" "	16 00
"	on his note	100 00
David Chase	interest on his note	65 00
"	" "	44 00
Jeremiah F. Chase	" "	33 35
Newell Locke	" "	50 12
"	" "	29 73
Josiah Gove	" "	26 12
Abram Dow	" "	20 88
Martha A. Locke	" "	15 44
John W. Fogg	" "	24 83
Heirs Joseph H. Weare	" "	24 60
Eben Fowler	" "	26 38
David Boyd	" "	19 57
John Philbrick	" "	174 44
Warren Boyd	" "	26 14
Jeremiah B. Greene	" "	8 74
George A. Weare	" "	4 37
"	" "	4 20
Albert J. Sanborn	" "	33 17
"	" "	25 20
Joseph F. Evans	" "	16 00
Heirs Joseph S. Lane	" "	48 00
Heirs Clinton A. Brown	His note and interest	150 10
Clarence F. Brown	" "	149 90
George N. Chase	interest on his note	8 17
Joshua Janvrin	" "	22 29
Thomas A. Dow	" "	17 89
"	on his note	65 00
		$1314 76

Town Debt, March 1, 1883.

Date of Notes.			
1877, Jan. 14, Elihu Dow	at 4 per cent.		$519 64
1882, Jan. 19, Joseph F. Evans	4	"	400 00
1878, Jan. 16, Jonathan Walton	4	"	408 54
1877, Jan. 1, Joseph S. Lane	4	"	1200 00
1881, Dec. 24, John Chase	4	"	600 00
1882, Jan. 25, " "	4	"	400 00
1877, Jan. 25, David Chase	4	"	1625 00
1876, Dec. 11, " "	4	"	1100 00
1877, Jan. 24, Jeremiah F. Chase	4	"	833 71
1873, March 8, Newell Locke	4	"	1252 95
1873, April 24, " "	4	"	743 26
1876, Dec. 26, Josiah Gove	4	"	653 05
1876, Jan. 1, Abram Dow	4	"	522 08
1874, Jan. 26, Martha M. Locke	4	"	386 12
1874, Jan. 26, John W. Fogg	4	"	620 86
1874, April 22, Joseph H. Weare	4	"	615 09
1883, Feb. 27, Clarence F. Brown	4	"	250 00
1880, July 14, Elizabeth H. Fowler	4	"	150 10
1874, Dec. 27, Eben Fowler	4	"	659 63
1875, Feb. 27, Joshua Janvrin	4	"	557 34
1876, Feb. 11, David Boyd	4	"	489 38
1877, Feb. 15, John Philbrick	4	"	4361 00
1876, May 27, Warren Boyd	4	"	653 62
1877, June 30, Thomas A. Dow	4	"	382 20
1877, June 30, Thomas A. Dow for Anda P. Dow			157 57
1877, Sept. 29, George N. Chase	4	"	204 16
1877, Dec. 27, Everett A. Weare	4	"	214 94
1877, Dec. 27, George A. Weare	4	"	109 18
1878, Nov. 23, " "	4	"	105 04
1877, Dec. 27, Jeremiah B. Greene	4	"	218 38
1877, Dec. 27, Emma M. George	4	"	184 21
1877, Dec. 27, Sally A Fogg	4	"	61 40
1878, Mar. 28, Albert J. Sanborn	4	"	829 33
1873, Dec. 6, " "	4	"	630 00
			$22097 78

Statement of Finances.

DUE THE TOWN AND PROPERTY OWNED BY THE TOWN.

Common Island and Dow Marsh		$550 00
Due from James W. Dow balance on Dow Marsh		8 00
Albert Gove and W. Boynton on Common Island		5 75
County		175 60
Thomas Chase collector for 1886		24 05
Charles S. Dow " 1867		20 00
Robert Collins " 1871		6 00
" " 1872		6 00
" " 1876		37 43
James Sanborn " 1875		31 48
Robert Collins " 1877		65 05
" " 1878		131 47
State bounty on crows 1882		46 00
" hawks for 1877 & 78		69 10
S. G. Johnson collector for 1880		8 82
" " " 1881		28 20
" " " 1882		520 07
		$1733 02
Whole amount of receipts	8935 41	
" expenditures	7122 68	
		1812 73
Amount of town debt		22097 78
Due the town and property owned by the town	1733 02	
Balance in the Treasury	1812 73	
		3545 75
Town Debt		18552 03

FRANK H. GREENE, TREASURER.

We the subscribers have this day, March the third, 1883, examined the Treasurer's accounts and find them well vouched and correctly cast and a balance in the Treasury of $1812.73

ROBERT COLLINS, }
WILLIAM A. RAND, } *Auditors.*

State of New Hampshire.

L. S. To the Inhabitants of the town of Seabrook qualified to vote in town affairs: You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.
2. To choose a Town Clerk for the year ensuing.
3. To choose three Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, School Committee, and all other necessary town officers and agents for the year ensuing.
4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools; for paying the town debts and defraying the interest thereon; for laying out and repairing highways and bridges; for the maintenance of the poor; and for other necessary charges arising in said town.
5. To see if the town will raise a sufficient sum of money for schooling, to have at least nine months of schooling for each school, and divide it accordingly.
6. To determine by vote how said town will divide the money raised for the support of schools among the several school districts in said town, and how said town will divide the Literary fund and that portion of the Railroad tax to be expended for the support of schools in said town for the year ensuing.
7. To determine how said town will dispose of the town and county paupers for the year ensuing.
8. To determine how said town will dispose of the income of Common Island and the Dow marsh for the year ensuing.
9. To see if the town will vote to sell the pound.

10. To see if the town will make a license law in regard to dogs.

11. To see if the town will vote that the money raised for the highways shall be assessed and collected as the other taxes and be expended by the Surveyors of the different highway districts.

12. To see if the town will vote to publish any part of its history and choose a committee to do the same and see what sum of money they will raise to pay for the same.

13. To see what action if any the town will take about the state line.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1883.

DAVID F. BOYD,
WILLIAM H. WALTON,
J. B. GREENE,
} *Selectmen of Seabrook.*

SCHOOL REPORT.

The School Committee respectfully presents the following report, for the year ending March 31st, 1883.

In this report will be found such facts relating to the schools of this town, as the law requires to be given; together with other matter, and such suggestions as may seem pertinent to the subject of common school education.

The whole number of scholars, not less than five years of age, who have attended school not less than two weeks, is three hundred and sixteen; of which number one hundred and sixty-one are boys, and one hundred and fifty-five are girls. The whole number of scholars reported by the selectmen, between the ages of five and fifteen years, is three hundred and eighty-five; of which number one hundred and eighty-eight are boys, and one hundred and ninety-seven are girls.

From the above record it will be see that there were sixty-nine children in town of the ages specified, that have not attended school two weeks during the year. This statement ought not to be a matter of indifference to those whose attention it is designed to arrest. It is made incumbent on the school committee to report annually the number of scholars who do not avail themselves of the privilege of attendance at school. The attention of parents and guardians is particularly called to the foregoing, hoping that it will receive from them the consideration that its importance demands.

Your committee believes it would be in order in this place, to suggest that in those districts where there are many small children who attend school, that the winter term begin early in the season. Such an arrangement would save the little

ones from exposure in the coldest weather, and thereby secure a much better attendance.

DISTRICT No. 1. Albert J. Sanborn, Prudential Committee. Miss Sadie S. Chase, teacher. Miss Chase, in whose care the scholars of this district were placed last year, was again called to assume the duties of teacher in this school. Her previous efforts in behalf of the school received a proper appreciation from the parents and committee of the district, and her services were again secured. The measure of success which attended her labors this year was fully equal to that of the preceding year. The scholars learned their lessons well, and preserved a good deportment; most of them displayed unusual interest in their studies, and the course of their progress has been constant and upward. This school sustains a rank equal to any in town.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	11	10
Whole No. of scholars	10	10
Average daily attendance	7	8

DISTRICT No. 2. C. A. Barton, Prudential Committee. This school began under favorable auspices; Miss A. M. Stockbridge taught the whole of the first term, but early in the second resigned to accept a more lucrative and permanent position elsewhere. Miss Stockbridge was an efficient instructor, and her management of the school was superior.

Miss Sadie Cummerford, the second teacher, possessed the requisite qualifications, and if circumstances had permitted, the school no doubt would have prospered under her supervision. At the end of a few days she was stricken down with fever, and was therefore obliged to resign.

The third teacher who was engaged, made the attempt to teach without first having obtained the necessary certificate, and was to the Superintending Committee unknown. She continued in charge a few days only.

Miss Alice L. Williams was the fourth and last teacher.

In undertaking to complete the work in which her predecessors had been engaged, Miss Williams was at once placed in an embarrassing and somewhat difficult position. At this junction, the school was considerably disorganized; the unusual number of changes which occurred had interfered seriously with both the order and the progress of the school. Miss Williams proved to be a competent teacher, and performed her duties in a creditable manner. Under her instruction, the school again exhibited signs of increased prosperity and usefulness; and during the remainder of the term the time was well and profitably employed.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	11	12
Whole No. of scholars	44	49
Average daily attendance	33	40

DISTRICT No. 3. John P. Dow, Prudential Committee. Miss Edna M. Hardy, teacher. The condition of this school affords a marked contrast to that of the previous year; great care was bestowed by the teacher upon her charge, and the entire management has been very judicious; studious habits were inculcated among the pupils, who in turn manifested a disposition to learn and obey. A great advance in study has been made, and what portions of the books the scholars have passed over, they seem to well understand. The results this year, when compared with the last year, are certainly most gratifying.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	11	15
Whole No. of scholars	46	49
Average daily attendance	35	39

DISTRICT No. 4. Robert Collins, Prudential Committee. The first term of school was taught by Miss Sallie A. French. At the beginning there did not seem to exist that unanimity of feeling between the pupils and teacher that is so essential to the prosperity and success of a school; and throughout the term the situation remained unchanged.

The second term was taught by Miss Nellie J. Pickering. No radical changes appeared to take place in the school, and about the same work was done as during the first term; some of the most willing and persevering scholars made good progress in their studies, but in general the condition of the school was not up to its usual standard.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	11	22
Whole No. of scholars	65	50
Average daily attendance	59	47

DISTRICT No. 5. Emery N. Eaton, Prudential Committee. Primary Department: Miss Josephine S. Robie, who presided over this department last year, was again called to take charge of the school. The arduous task was cheerfully undertaken, and her work was faithfully performed; the scholars received thorough instruction, and there were many who learned well and rapidly. The order was good considering the age and number of the pupils. In the administration of the affairs of this department for the past year, Miss Robie has met with more than an average degree of success.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	11	15
Whole No. of scholars	71	55
Average daily attendance	57	41

Grammar Department: This department was under the instruction of Mr. E. A. Thacher, a gentleman of many years' experience in teaching, and one who was well qualified. Under Mr. Thacher's supervision the pupils received careful instruction, and those who were the most diligent gained rapidly; nearly all improved their time and opportunities and made good progress in their studies. The school being composed of older and more advanced scholars, there seemed to be little or no occasion to resort to dicipline, and the order maintained was excellent.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	11	15
Whole No. of scholars	36	36
Average daily attendance	34	34

DISTRICT No. 6. Eben F. Smith, Prudential Committee. Miss Lillian C. Greene, teacher. This school was placed in charge of a well qualified and energetic teacher, who faithfully devoted her time and thoughts to the work in which she was engaged. The scholars mostly were interested in their studies, and many of the larger pupils who were ambitious to learn, advanced rapidly. Some of the smaller ones also are deserving of special mention as very promising scholars. Miss Greene's method of teaching the little ones is particularly to be commended. The order of the school generally, was good.

	1st term	2d term
Length in weeks	10	14
Whole No. scholars	46	39
Average daily attendance	43	33

ROLL OF HONOR.

District No. 1. 1st term; Alice M. Weare, Millie O. Johnson. 2d term; Alice M. Weare, E. Jennie Weare, Millie O. Johnson.

District No. 2. 1st term; Mertie Dow, Ellen Gove, Nancie Gove, Etta Small. 2d term; Minerva Breed, Alice Chase, Ellen Gove, Edith Greene, Ida Greene.

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